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a Lesson in the University of The New Covenant
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1. I am coming to the halls of orthodoxy. That which was of Me and have often left Me out for ritual and tradition and ways of man shall return to Me and know My name. I am alive and well and want to be heard and I will be heard through all that will open to Me and listen for My voice, listen for Me to make myself known in newness, newness of life, bringing life and joy back to that which is dry, to those who are dry and not knowing of My power, My blood, My redemption, My life and how I want to be involved in theirs.

2. I'm coming Ted, and I'm coming big and those who are looking for Me can't miss Me, but those who are closed to Me will not, may not, even see Me, though few that will be. For they will all have new choices to make in the new ways I reveal Myself and My children and My children to My children in power, in grace, in glory, in honor, in power, power, power.

3. I am not impotent. I am omnipotent. I am power. I am powerful and I come in glory and splendor and majesty to the seeking heart and those that will again have to make the choice, many choices, about Me and My reality and My truth and My ways of operation. I will turn things upside down. You already know this, but I am saying it for your readers and hearers and those that will bless you as they bless Me by receiving what I am writing and saying through you.

4. I am coming and I am coming in power and splendor and majesty and glory and those that are stodgy and protective of their little turfs, that they say they manage for Me, will be uprooted and turned on their ear. They will still have the choice. They will have many choices, for they choose to participate in Me, in how they choose to participate in Me.

5. Tell them, tell them all that I am coming and I am readying all things to come and come in power and come in majesty and come in splendor, splendor, splendor, with My jewels, My crown, to My people, who are My jewels and crown.

6. Now tell them and be not afraid to be wrong. Be not afraid of being misunderstood for all who will see My face, look for My appearing, open their heart to Me, will know Me and they will choose, for My fire is coming and My fire refines, for My fire separates those with Me from those not with Me, those that truly believe Me and those that don't truly believe Me. So many want to put their hands in My nail scarred hand to see and feel before they think they will believe.

7. But Ted, I have shown Myself already, multitudinous times and I am coming more and more and increasing, increasing, and you and those that invite Me and be not ashamed of Me, proudly letting people know that I am that I am and you belong to I am and I am is coming in power, splendor and majesty. And Ted, I'm coming to the least and the great. I'm coming to those in poverty and those in positions of power, wealth,

and influence. Tell them, tell them, tell them, for I will connect you with many of them, across all spectrums, that I am coming and they will again choose to stay with their thinking and maturity levels of the past or they will open to Me and My people and My generals and My captains and My lieutenants, in the army I am raising up now, those that know Me, know Me and know Me for Me instead of so many who come to Me for their purposes.

8. I am looking for the seeking heart. I am listening and Ted, I will not disappoint. Those that want Me can have Me as I have opened Myself and make all things ready. Time is short and getting shorter and those that have their eyes on themselves and not Me will not participate in the new things I do. I will turn, explode, crush, destroy, build and rebuild and catapult, and those that wind up in each category will be because of their choices.

9. Church as it has been will be no more. Church as a traditional, perfunctory, exercise will diminish and diminish and those that want Me will move in power that they never knew they had available to them.

10. This Ted, is where you come in, and those that receive you and your words, your heart, for you know what is coming and you have glimpses of how I will turn things, institutions, theologies, and men, upside down.

11. Freedom Ted. It's all about freedom for it's all about Me and where I am is liberty, freedom, liberty and freedom which even you have yet to experience in My full design. You have made progress, great progress and you so greatly desire to pull others with you into Freedomland, Freedomland with freedom of spirit where I reign supreme, communicating directly with My people and operate not dependent on those intermediaries.

12. Those who will get out of the way and let Me develop and nurture My people are the people I will elevate and honor. And those who choose to hold on to their status, position and power in standing between Me and My people, will be those who I abase. I will not be abused and misused and proclaimed as someone I'm not. I am coming and I am coming in power and My voice will be heard by My people, all people, all people, all people Ted, especially My people, in power. And they will choose to participate in My love and My kindness or they will shrink back in fear of what they can't understand, see, and touch tangibly. They cannot muster any life into the faith I've given them. They have it but they can crush it and allow the systems of this world—mammon—to crush it and destroy it.

13. But I bring life and life will flow into many who are dry, barren, lethargic, timid, shy, even dead. Yea My power will go forth and bring death to life and many will rise in positions of power that heretofore were unthinkable, unimaginable, unforeseeable, because so many held their people down, choosing to be important and receive the praise and accolades of man, and try to feel important and enjoy a status of elevation over others.

14. Ted, they don't know Me. They don't know My way and My submission to authority, submission, totality of surrender, totally giving of Myself, themselves, to the Father.

15. Ted, people don't know how to give of themselves for they are so closed, so protective, so selfish, so small, so insecure, for they fear so they go to great effort to protect and gather and gain not even giving Me the chance to make Myself known and let them taste of My provision.

16. They do it and put their name on it. Some put My name on it when I'm not in it at all. But I let them operate. I let them choose and I let them go, day to day, in the making of their own choices.

17. Ted, the church will change. The things that leaders do will change, for you see clearly that power and might is coming to the common man and those who stand in the way of freedom will have trouble—they will mastermind their own fates.

18. Freedom Ted. Many will ask you about freedom and wonder, ponder, about these words, now and later. Freedom. Freedom. Freedom that comes only from knowing Me at My table and now, sitting under My nurture, not just man's nurture.

19. Ted, I am coming in power, majesty, splendor, and glory, and to some it will be horrible, terrible, and fear will seize them for they don't know how to operate except by Mammon.

20. Ted, freedom. Tell my people to network themselves, open to others, grow up and not be so stinking small, so little, grow up and listen to Me and see what I'm doing and choose to participate in Me while there is yet time. Sidelines are not fun to be on when they can be playing, participating, leading, and adventuring in the adventure that I only provide.

21. This Ted, is the great adventure. This is the great design. This, Ted, is the invitation to all who will listen and open, open, open to Me and realize they do not have all of Me that they need, or all I desire to give them of Myself. They must grow up. You all must grow up and Ted, only those that chose to mature really mature. It's an effort, a choice, a discipline, a lifestyle, and you know there's a price in time.

22. Specifics, Ted, specifics. I will give you more and more specifics about these things but these words are meant to plow the fallow ground and cultivate openness and ponder, let people ponder and ask and request of Me, and discuss and become open to Me in the new things I am doing.

23. I am readying My forces. My horse is ready. I am at the threshold and armies await Me and battles will be great and sore and outcomes not like some think. I am sovereign and mighty, omnipotent, omniscience, I am that I am and I am is moving and readying My forces, My troops and assembling the teams, networks, leaders, and followers who will make up My crown. Tell them, tell them to fear Me, fear My wrath, fear My judgment, fear Me, and Ted, come to Me in love and tenderness, and I will receive

them with My kisses, and I will kill and eat the fatted calf with them, as it were, if they come now and return to Me and allow Me to robe them with My robes, clothe them with My power and reign forth in realms they can't imagine now.

24. Ted, see it, paint it, paint them in it. Tell them not to be mice, little things that run and hide and squeak and live scared of life. Tell them to grow up and pull them with you into maturity where they seek Me and come to My table. I will provide. I will nourish and I will connect in relationships of fulfillment and power and glory and I will take delight in those that let Me honor them, for My namesake.

25. Teach all I have given you. Go back through your notes. Hold not back. Put it all on the web. Put it all there Ted, all Ted, all, all, all. Hold not back anything of what I have given you and you have learned from Me and at My table, from My children. Time is short.

26. Be focused and provide not for yourself for I shall provide for what I want you to be doing and saying and leading and taking the hands of My precious children and leading them to Me, Me, Me, Me, not you, not anyone else but Me, Me, Me, and putting their hands in My hand, and smiling, encouraging, blessing, uplifting, giving them confidence that I am who I say I am, I do what I say I will do and I want them to come to Me.

27. Smile Ted, laugh, be more confident yourself in who you are and who I have told you you are and what you will do and what is coming to you, coming to you quickly and powerfully, with honor and glory. For you Ted, for you, for Me, it's for you for Me and you understand that, deeply.

28. Put their hands in Mine and I will provide—oh Ted, so significantly, so abundantly, so overly abundant Ted. I have so many that will give and aid you. That's the least of your concerns Ted. Now go forth, accelerate what I've told you and given you specifics on, so specific.

29. Web, web, web, Ted, go, don't be slow. You're being slow and that is not of Me. Stand up, lead, go grow, glow and do My business, do My stuff, do Me, and be Me and be My hand that connects their hands with My hands. Protect the little ones, protect, precious, precious, precious.

30. Teach people and go forth, mightily, powerfully, and be not timid and shy any longer. Go forth in My power at My direction. Arrogance is not you so quit fearing someone will think you overconfident and arrogant and go do, be, say, speak, teach forth, what I have given you.

31. I will teach you more, so much more, so much more. Ted, clean the garage and I'll give you the car. You know what I mean. Get the things done I am so plainly telling you so I can yet give you so much more.

32. Basics, you're still on the basics, you're writing the basics and the most elementary things of My kingdom and I want to give you, flourish you, with so much more so you can put many hands in My hand.

33. Ted, tender. Be tender. Be tender. Bold and radical but tender. Let Me, make sure I come through all you do and say and write for I am Me and I am selective and I constantly monitor your heart. Your heart yearns so deeply for Me now. And Ted, never let it change. Keep people around you that speak truth into your ears, into your heart and not let you do things stupid. Be accountable, be responsible, be Me and exemplify My kingdom and I will flourish you with grace and glory and majesty, flowers, color, beauty, splendor, power, Ted, for Me, Me, for them, for My little ones.

34. Honor your wife and family and all who think they know Me and don't. Time, time, space, give them time and space and honor. I have all things in My hand and I am not slow or slothful.

35. I am provision. I am the Ram. I am the altar.
I am provision. I am the Ram. I am the lamb.

36. Ted, go forth and enjoy these days, enjoy them, enjoy every moment of who you are now, today, and think not of what you will be at the expense of who you are today and where I have you and the struggles you face and the faith you are mustering and growing.

37. Enjoy today, enjoy today and those around you and love and laugh and get with friends and be not consumed with doing, even for Me. Enjoy the nourishment that comes from love and laughter with friends. It's part of My design Ted, and My purpose in My body. Shrink not back and get your priorities more in line with My purposes and not your purposes for Me.

38. I am time. I am power. I am all things. I have order, systems and priorities and I preclude not one from the other in My schema, for I am one and I want you to be one and I want My body to be one. Oh Ted, so much I want to give you, so much, so much, so much.

39. Keep writing and coming to Me and publishing what I give you and doing what I tell you and great provision and honor and glory are yours, for Ted, you're leading them to Me, Me, Me.

40. You understand it's not your ministry, even though it has your name on it. It's not yours, it's Mine. You are not yours, you're Mine. They are not theirs, they're Mine and I appreciate you launching out in faith to do what I have clearly and specifically told you to do. You've seen it, you've heard it, you're written it, you've published it, shared it, pondered it, prayed about it, and Ted, I appreciate you. Now go forth and be tender and lead, lead in tenderness and love providing freedom for all who want it.

41. Give all freedom with you to the extent they can operate in maturity with it. Freedom demands maturity Ted. Freedom demands maturity and where so many fall is

they want to operate in freedom—a level of freedom that exceeds their maturity. Maturity brings freedom. Maturity is the gateway to freedom in My kingdom and you Ted, know that.

42. Tell it, sell it, show it, every way you can. Paint the pictures, canvases of beauty and splendor, canvases of freedom, with them in the pictures, on the canvases, in the portraits, of My kingdom.

43. Thank you, thank you Ted for being so transparent. Yes, My honor is better than other's ridicule. And the only ridicule you'll receive is from those who don't know Me. Be tender with all those who know Me and those who don't. I love you. I love you. please convey My love to My children and all who will listen to you.

44. Tell them of My love, tell them of our love. I will give you great opportunities to do this. Tell tem and when asked things you don't know, I've given you the answer already, tell them you don't know. For you know so little, but you're learning fast and faster. I want you to learn and grow and glow and lead others into Me, maturity in Me, to be part of Me and participate in the things I am doing and changing.

45. I need many leaders. You are but one, and you will birth many and mature many, and for that Ted, I thank you. Go and grow and glow and have fun and laugh and be serious only when necessary—have fun in Me and go and grow and laugh and enjoy the friends I bring you. Enjoy friends and relationships of the past and enjoy the new ones I bring you. But Ted, never let them crowd me out—or our time together.

46. I love you and it's so meaningful to Me for you to come and worship and pray and praise and honor Me and share. You share your heart, share your fears, share your concerns and trials and challenges. Ted, thank you for sharing your life with Me and letting Me share Mine with you, and so many others.

47. I thank you. I thank you. I thank you.
I love you, Ted.
I love them.
Tell them I love them everyday, every way you can, with a smile and joy and laughter—Me.

And I thank you.